

# 'Sit Tight' Is Order by Clay in Berlin; U.S. Speed-up on Aid to Stop Red Spread

## Russia Is Set to Stop Recovery

Congress Wants Quick Flow of Goods to 16 Nations Under Soviet Threat

## Emergency Board

Action Is Expected to Have Influence in Italian Election

BY JOHN M. HIGHTOWER

Washington, April 3 (AP)—The administration worked at top speed today seeking to convert \$250,000,000 into a global dike against Communism in Europe and Asia.

President Truman was expected to sign at about noon the emergency new foreign aid bill which Congress swiftly approved yesterday almost two weeks ahead of its own April 15 deadline.

The vast program, center piece of the government's "stop-Russia" strategy, is designed to rush American goods and money to 16 western European nations with extra funds including military aid for Greece, Turkey and China.

The Soviet Union and its satellites in turn have proclaimed their intent to wreck the recovery effort.

The urgent effort to start the flow of American goods at once argues from the State Department's desire to reassure western Europe that economic help is on the way and to bolster anti-Communist forces in the April 18 Italian election.

## Temporary Board

Ready for action by the President, in addition to the bill itself was an executive order creating a temporary European recovery board to run the recovery program the next thirty days. After that, the ERP's own administrator will take over.

Undersecretary of State Lovett announced yesterday that the State Department has a skeleton staff set up and ready to swing into action Monday.

Mr. Truman also has the task, which his advisers consider less urgent than that of the program, of naming the administrator for the whole huge operation. And he must select a roving ambassador to oversee the distribution and coordinate the use of American aid.

Speculation over the \$250,000,000 administrative position, which carries cabinet rank, centered upon Paul C. Hoffman, director of the Studebaker Corporation. For the \$25,000 a year assignment as roving ambassador, Hoffman was expected to lead the American ambassador to Great Britain.

## No Break in Flow

Lovett said he did not know whether it would take to get supplies of American food, fuel and industrial machinery moving. But he said there will be no break in the current flow of supplies financed by various special and temporary appropriations.

The major provision of the bill, which the House passed yesterday 318 to 75, and the Senate by a voice vote, authorizes a 4½ year economic recovery program for western Europe at a cost of \$250,000,000 for the first year beginning last Thursday, April 1. Also included in the measure are \$275,000,000 for military

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## New Palitz to Offer Car Driving Course

Albany, N. Y., April 3 (AP)—The State Education Department will conduct automobile driving classes for high school teachers.

"A great many school officials have shown an interest in the establishment of driver training classes," the department said yesterday.

The five-day, free courses will be held at six state teachers colleges. The schedule of starting dates:

New Paltz, April 19; Cortland, June 7; Buffalo, July 19; Brockport, July 26; Albany, Aug. 9; and Oswego, Aug. 16.

## Reds Halt American Train



Passengers crowd the windows of a U. S. train after it was stopped at Marienborn, Germany, in the Soviet Zone west of Berlin. The American officer in charge refused to let Soviet troops enter or inspect the train. (NEA Radio-Telephoto).

## Fair Street Reformed Church To Observe 50th Anniversary Of Dr. F. B. Seeley's Pastorate

## Terpening Chosen As Highway Head To Replace Zoda

Leslie Terpening of Rifton has been appointed superintendent of highways in the Town of Esopus to take the place of Joseph Zoda of Port Ewen. Zoda resigned March 31 to take effect April 15.

In making announcement of Terpening's appointment, a spokesman for the town board, said that Zoda gave no reason for his resignation. The job pays a salary of \$200 a month, with allowable expenses.

The town board chose Terpening, a Republican, as Zoda's successor because he polled the second highest number of votes in the election campaign last fall. Zoda, a Democrat, and his opponent, was re-elected to the post which he had held for several years following his choice by the voters of the town after his discharge from the army.

## 5,000 Railroaders Idle

Pittsburgh, April 3 (AP)—More than 5,000 New York Central Railroad workers were laid off today, pushing past 61,000 the number made jobless in allied industries by the 20-day-old soft coal walkout. The N.Y.C. sent lay-off notices to 2,000 at its Indianapolis yards, 1,630 in the Albany, N. Y. shops, 800 at the Cleveland yards and 725 at the East Buffalo yards.

## Business Men to Meet

The Downtown Business Men's Association will hold a meeting on Monday, April 5, at 8 p. m. in Andy's Furniture Store, 86 Broadway.

## County Health Board Favors Tumor Clinic Construction

Unanimous support for the proposed tumor clinic was decided by the Ulster County Board of Health at their meeting held Friday at the Tuberculosis Hospital in Kingston. Careful consideration was given to the results of the bids received for the construction of the tumor clinic made public Thursday by the Post-War Planning Commission of the County Board of Supervisors and it was stated by all that the bids appeared reasonable and the need for the clinic at this time is acute.

The following resolution regarding the tumor clinic construction was passed unanimously:

"The Board of Health still feels the urgent need for an adequate Tumor Clinic and they strongly recommend to the County Board

of Supervisors that they continue the project to its early completion even in the face of the added cost."

The Board of Health appointed Dr. Charles Rosenstock as county health officer for the southwestern area of Ulster County with headquarters in Ellenville. This is the last of two county health officer positions filled by the Board of Health. Dr. Carl Meekins is now serving in a similar capacity in the Highland office. As county district health officer, Dr. Rosenstock will serve as the medical representative of the County Health Department, investigating sanitation complaints, carrying out required surveys and inspections, performing immunizations and developing local health programs. Dr. Rosenstock will begin his new duties on April 15.

## Murray Gold Captured in N. Y. After Tip Given by Kirchofer

## Witnesses Are Set To Oppose Ike's Stand on Draft

Still Need Manpower, General Tells Senate Group; Ready to Keep on Uniform

Washington, April 3 (AP)—Three witnesses lined up in the Senate today to oppose Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower's stand that a draft and Universal Military Training are vital to this country's safety.

The three opposition witnesses include Atomic Scientist Dr. H. D. Smyth. They will wind up the Senate Armed Services Committee hearings on the twin proposals asked by President Truman to support his "stop-Russia" policy.

Committee aides said the other two witnesses would be Truman K. Smith, former army officer, and Dr. L. H. Royerson, University of Minnesota professor.

Chairman McNamara (R-S.D.) will call the group into closed session Tuesday to prepare legislation for Senate debate.

Specific recommendations for both draft and U.M.T. measures were submitted to the Armed Services Committee of both Houses yesterday by Secretary of Defense Forrestal. He asked for registration of men up to 45, with a limited draft of non-veterans between the ages of 19 and 26.

The cabinet member said events of the past few weeks have made the two programs more necessary than ever. And Eisenhower appeared before the Senate group in person, still wearing his beribboned army uniform, to lend support to that stand.

"In any war now," he said emphatically, "the first 30 to 60 days may determine our ability to carry on, we won't win a war that quickly, but the period is important."

He warned that despite progress in developing new weapons the day of push button warfare has not arrived. Manpower still is needed, he declared, adding that any fighting in the next three to five years would look "like it looked in the last war."

While the former chief of staff granted the importance of airpower, he argued that the army must seize and hold bases before fighter and bomber planes can operate against an enemy.

He said Selective Service and U.M.T. are of equal importance to the nation's security—which he said is threatened by "ideological conflict."

"The United States cannot live as an island as democracy in a sea of dictatorship," Eisenhower said. He commented that Americans

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## Miners Free Now

## Lewis Tells Them

## Letter Leaves Miners Free to Go Back Into the Mines

Washington, April 3 (AP)—John L. Lewis today told striking coal miners they can do as they please about returning to work.

Lewis' letter thus left the nearly 400,000 miners free to go back into the mines.

The unusual message came just before President Truman was reported about to ask a Federal Court for an injunction to end the three-week-old work stoppage.

When or whether—the miners will return, and how soon, is a matter that the union headquarters refused to comment on.

But Lewis' words made it entirely clear that no "strike" is in progress.

In a message to the members of the United Mine Workers, Lewis said:

"Any action or decision which you may care to take continues to be entirely for your own determination without direction of any character from me or from any of your international officers."

"I, therefore, now repeat that you are not new under, and have

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## Telephone Clue Leads to Arrest Of Man Sought in Stabbing Of Mary Ann Dunham

Learning of his approximate whereabouts through a telephone call received in this city Friday afternoon, New York police today have in custody Murray Gold, 28, who is accused of stabbing a Kingston woman.

The call was received by Walter A. Kirchofer, manager of the Broadway Theatre here, about 3 p. m. Friday from Gold. After talking for some time, Kirchofer asked for a number to call back between 7 and 8 o'clock that night. Gold gave him the number, MO-nument 2-7391.

Kirchofer immediately gave the number to Robert Case, city manager for Reade's Theatres, who called Sheriff George C. Smith.

Smith, in turn, relayed the information to New York, and police were sent to check the area.

Sister Works Here

The call probably came to the theatre, Kirchofer said, because Lucille Dunham, a sister of the stabbed woman, is employed at the Kingston Theatre.

Gold, also known as Jerry Stone, is charged with the stabbing of Mary Ann Dunham, 35, of this city during an argument in a Marlborough tavern on March 21. He has since been the subject of a widespread search highlighted by reports of numerous telephone calls supposedly received from the fugitive.

He was spotted near a movie on West 42nd street about 10 p. m. Friday by Detective John Duffy of the Manhattan West Headquarters.

As Duffy seized him, Gold shouted for help and broke away. While hundreds of passers-by watched, Duffy chased him into a milk bar at 203 West 42nd Street, just off Broadway.

Two Aid Detective

Jugs of orange juice and malted milk flew as Gold kicked, scratched, bit, punched and wrestled. Harold Richman, 28, manager of the milk bar, and Roland Hernandez, 32, a clerk, came to Duffy's aid.

During the fracas Richman was bitten on his right wrist and was later treated at the Polytechnic Hospital. Duffy was bitten on his left little finger. Gold was uninjured.

After Duffy and his assistants finally subdued Gold, the prisoner was taken to his West 47th street station. He was booked for arraignment late this morning at Felony Court in New York on a fugitive charge. He gave his address as 554 Grand street, New York City.

Troopers After Him

State Troopers Lynn Baker, Wurtsboro, and Arthur Reilly, Lake Katrine, both E.C. men, left today to bring Gold to Ulster County. He will face charges of first degree assault, according to District Attorney Louis G. Bruhn.

He will be arraigned before Justice of the Peace Fred Woolsey

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## Negro Minister Sues Louis For Stealing Love of Wife

Chicago, April 3 (AP)—A Negro minister asks \$500,000 damages from Joe Louis, heavyweight boxing champion, for allegedly stealing the love of his wife, a New York model.

An alienation of affections suit against Louis, 33, and his elder brother, 34, was filed yesterday by the Rev. Matthew C. Faulkner, 32 year old Baptist minister of Atlanta, Ga.

Louis, married since 1935 and father of two children, is in Paris. He went to England several weeks ago for a series of exhibition bouts. He was accompanied by his wife, the former Marva Trotter of Chicago. They were married March 27, 1945, and remarried the next year. Their children are Jacqueline, 5, and Joe, Jr., 1.

The suit alleged that Louis, during November, December and January, "by subterfuge, contrivance and design, maliciously won the affections of Faulkner's wife, Mattie Carrie Faulkner."

Mrs. Faulkner, who is described in the suit as "a beautiful woman," said in New York she is 23 and is employed as a model under her professional name of Carol Drake.

The suit termed the alienation an "illicit affair," and allegedly took place while the Rev. Mr.

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## Fill Army Ranks



Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower asks the Senate Armed Services Committee in Washington to take immediate steps to fill the ranks of the armed forces and pass Universal Military Training. (NEA Telephoto).

## Leslie Eignor Dies Of Heart Attack

## City Bull Market Butcher Succumbs in Woodstock Doctor's Office

Leslie Eignor, for several years employed as a butcher at the Washington Avenue Bull Market, died suddenly of a heart attack in the office of Dr. Hans J. Cohn at Woodstock about midnight.

Earlier in the evening Mr. Eignor complained of feeling ill and left shortly after 8 o'clock for his home in Glenford. About midnight he went to the home of a neighbor across the road, Robert Buley, and sought to have him take him to Dr. Cohn's office.

A physical examination had just been completed when Mr. Eignor collapsed falling to the floor. In falling he struck a glass book-case inflicting cuts on his face. The remains were taken in charge by the V. N. Lasher Funeral Home at Woodstock. Funeral arrangements have not been made.

One brother, Eugene Eignor of Paris hotel.

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## U. S. Takes Building

Berlin, April 3 (AP)—The U. S. Army, counter-attacking Russian restrictions in Berlin, turned back 20 Soviet generals and 20 other Russians today from a railroad administration building the Russians occupy in the U. S. sector of the city.

Fifty U. S. military policemen barred entrance to all but the L-100 Germans employed in the building. Some Russian officers remained inside the offices, and the American guards permitted the Russians to bring food for them.

The railroad building, near the border of the U. S.-Soviet sectors, has been occupied by the Russians since the city was divided.

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## Number for Life

## Montana Plan Is Likely to Be Used All Over in Due Time

Helena, Mont., April 3 (AP)—Starting next January, Montana will assign a serial number to each baby born, and he'll have it the rest of his life.

The state registrar of vital statistics, L. I. Benepe, says all the states will put the plan into operation eventually.

That one number, he said, will be the person's number for social security, military registration, police identification, and all other identification purposes. It will be discarded when he dies.

Benepe said the plan is to be directed by the Vital Statistics Office of the U. S. Public Health Service in Washington.

## General May Shoot If He Must

Army Secretary Royall Fully Behind Plan to Keep Berlin Open for Supplies

## Won't Evacuate

Military Police Take Over Rail Station, Barring Russians

Washington, April 3 (AP)—Russia's opening move to squeeze the western powers out of Berlin collided today with a firm American decision to "sit tight."

The words were those of Gen. Lucius D. Clay, American military commander in Germany. And, said Secretary of the Army Royall, they have "the full support of this department and the government."

Royall announced the decision to a hurriedly summoned news conference last night a few minutes after a telephone conversation with Clay in Berlin, followed by a quick consultation with the State Department.

"Though we will sit tight and hold our position," said Royall, "we will not be provocative."

But interviewed later on a radio program ("Meet the Press"—Mutual), Royall added that "in case of any attack, Gen. Clay has the authority of a military leader to shoot if he must." And he said the Americans plan to keep transport lines open into the city.

We'll have to go through," he said.

Clay told Royall, the secretary said at his news conference, that "evacuation to me is unthinkable."

Their talk yesterday was one of a number of trans-Atlantic conversations they have had since Wednesday. The Russians announced then, with only a 24 hour notice, restrictions on rail and highway traffic between the western occupied zones and the U. S., British and French sectors in Berlin.

Would Make Berlin Hot

Although Royall, in his news conference, made no direct reference to what long range objectives he thinks might be behind the Russian restriction order, other informed officials expressed this idea:

Russia wants to make Berlin too hot for the western powers. If they could be crowded out, Berlin would become the communist capital of a Soviet dictator "separate" German Government.

And, these officials added, more drastic efforts than the transportation order might be expected as part of this outer effort.

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## FEEDING WORLD'S CHILDREN

"Before we try to teach the children of the world about brotherhood and the rights of man, we must feed, clothe and care for them. It is useless to talk of democracy to a starving child. . . If we desert this generation in their misery they will neither forgive nor forget. They will recall their sufferings and grow stunted in mind as well as in body—full of suspicion, hatred and bitterness. They will one day rule the world, and the chance for peace is small if they are not cared for."

Those words are from a resolution adopted by children of 26 nations at U.N. headquarters in February. They had met to appeal to their elders throughout the world to support the U.N. Appeal for Children.

Here in the U. S. the appeal is being conducted by American Overseas Aid. This is an organization of 26 participating relief agencies. Its goal is \$60,000,000, and the campaign goes into a final and intensive five-week drive on April 12.

World events seem to make the date of this final drive particularly appropriate. It comes at a time when the language of diplomacy is one of bitter words. Tension, unfriendliness and fear dictate the course of international relations. The talk is of governments, not of people—good governments and bad, governments of the enslaved, the enslaver, and the free.

Into this atmosphere there is injected an appeal for children, and an appeal that is directed as much to children as to adults. It has no concern with politics or diplomacy. Children in Poland and the Ukraine, as well as youngsters in France and China, will be helped. There is no iron curtain; children can be just as hungry under dictatorship as under democracy.

This appeal will help the well-fed children of America as well as the hungry children elsewhere. For our children, like those of other countries, have been growing up in a world atmosphere of hatred. A war and its bitter aftermath have highlighted the differences between governments and have taught them too little about the decency and friendliness that unite most human beings, whatever their language.

Our children, and their parents too, need a chance to learn of or to recall the twice-blessed quality of mercy that the American Overseas Aid—United Nations Appeal for Children gives them. And already that opportunity is being well received. In almost all of our states school children are helping out by contributions, collections, sales, carnivals.

Nor is such activity confined to this country. The appeal is being answered by children all over the world. Even in Greece, where children have known hunger and suffering for so long, Athenian school students gathered at the Acropolis to make their token contributions.

It is true, as the children's resolution says, that we cannot talk democracy to a starving child, or teach him about the brotherhood of man until we feed him. But it is likely that those who are able to help feed the hungry children will learn something of democracy and brotherhood in the process.

## MEETING AT BOGOTA

As March ends the nations of the Western Hemisphere gather at Bogota, Colombia, to discuss their mutual problems, needs and hopes.

It is expected to be a long meeting, and not an easy one, for there are complex matters on the agenda. Some of the Latin-American nations have pressing problems of economic survival in the commerce of the post-war world. They seek to seize upon this time of prosperity and expansion to build up a more stable and diversified economy. They will want both counsel and material help.

In the political realm the question of title to disputed islands in the Antarctic probably will be brought to the conference table. Around it there may occur a rally raising again the old cry of "America for the Americans."

Both the economic and political discus-

# 'These Days'

By George E. Sokolsky

## NOT BY FEAR

It seems to me that as things are the government should at all times be in a position to meet any emergency for the national defense. Therefore, the draft is a reasonable measure. Certainly, our present objective enemy will give little or no notice. In fact, the atomic bomb makes notice of war impossible. We must at all times be ready, even though a permanent standing army is offensive to the American people. That is one of the many prices we have to pay for the mistakes of our rulers.

On the other hand, if the government has the draft, universal military service would seem to be unnecessary. A six-month period of orientation and indoctrination is either too much or too little. If after eight years in elementary school and four in high school, the American boy has still to be told that he is an American, something exceedingly odd exists in our schools. If that task is to be undertaken by the Army after the child has been corrupted by the schools, six months is not enough. Instead of disrupting the child's life by universal military service, we ought to discover what is wrong with our schools—and correct what is wrong, the educators notwithstanding.

The draft is a fairer, a more equitable system of handling this problem. During the draft period, the young man would have ample time to be trained in military service and formation. Those draftees who are married or whose work is essential could be inducted in the National Guard, which should be increasingly important, particularly as, in the next war, the Fifth Column, consisting of American citizens, may be our severest enemy.

So, let us have the draft as a permanent institution, using such manpower as we actually need, no more, no less. It is infinitely important to keep many of our boys in college for technical training as is possible. Chemists, for instance, are as important as soldiers for the national defense.

The real obstacle to a sane approach to the problem is the reversion to the fear technique. If the American people have to be frightened into patriotism, our civilization has failed and will be destroyed. If the Army and Navy have to use the clatter of ersatz Stalin boosters on the radio to stir the American to a love of country, the Army and Navy have lost the confidence of the American people. If they have to have scaresters shrieking over the airwaves that Stalin is on his way over here as they screamed that Hitler was on his way over here, then we are a debased race.

Not by fear is a strong people moved to love their country and to make sacrifices for it. The proof of the truth of that is that the scare glamor has fallen flat and the American response to it has been without faith or fervor. Nothing can move our people but a great faith in our civilization, a fervent belief that we live under a form of government and in a way of life that is superior to all others, and that for it we are willing to die.

It was in that spirit that the pioneers risked the forest, fought the Indians, crossed fierce and unknown rivers and built a free society for courageous people. It was not fear that produced a Miles Standish or a Daniel Boone or a Lewis and Clark. It was not fear that stirred our ancestors to write the Mayflower Compact, the Declaration of Independence, or the Constitution of the United States. A people who fear, cringe before power and exchange themselves before the mighty.

It is not by fear that we shall achieve greatness. It is by faith—by faith in our institutions, in our civilization which is based upon the dignity of man, protected by our Constitution and Law.

That was not told our soldiers in the last war. Instead they were told the wonders of our ally, Soviet Russia, wonders that we are now being told were, in reality, lies. We want no more lies of one kind or another.

## That Body of Yours

By James W. Barton, M. D.

### CANCER OF THE STOMACH

"Cancer of the stomach kills more people than cancer of any other organ. When we consider that one-fifth of all deaths from cancer are stomach cancers, it makes one stop, look and think." This information comes from Dr. Gilson Colby Engel, Philadelphia, in the "Journal of the American Medical Association."

It may be thought that cancer of the stomach is difficult to cure because it cannot be seen as readily as cancer of mouth, breast, skin, uterus. This is true to some extent, but the main reason for the high death rate in stomach cancer is that patients do not consult their physician in the early stage of cancer. They attribute the symptoms to indigestion, nervousness, wrong food and other causes and expect to get rid of the symptoms, without any trouble.

What is the result of the delay in the treatment of stomach cancer?

"It is horrifying to think that for all the reported papers the possibility of cure by operation is only between 14 to 21 per cent; that is, only one in four or five cases of stomach cancer are cured by operation."

What are the early symptoms of stomach cancer that both the patient and physician should recognize?

These symptoms are: A tired and weak feeling, loss of appetite, loss of desire for meat and indigestion (mild distress before and after meals). Unfortunately, unless the cancer is at or near the entrance to the stomach, thus causing some obstruction, cancer may not be suspected for cancer of the stomach. The examination in the stomach, which allows the physician to see the lining of the stomach, test meal, serum protein determinations, and complete blood count.

What are Dr. Engel's suggestions to prevent this high death rate in stomach cancer?

1. The X-ray examination of groups of cancer age men and women, as is being done in tuberculosis.

2. Every annual checkup should include an X-ray of stomach.

3. Lay groups should be educated to see their physician early if they have stomach symptoms lasting two weeks or more, or if they are tired and have lost their appetite.

4. An X-ray of stomach should be had at once if a patient complains of fatigue, loss of appetite and indigestion.

### Cancer: Its Symptoms and Treatment

We should never forget that cancer is curable if discovered early. Send today for Dr. Barton's informative booklet entitled "Cancer: Its Symptoms and Treatment." To obtain it just enclose 10 cents and a 3-cent stamp, to cover cost of handling and mailing, to The Bell Syndicate in care of The Kingston Daily Freeman, Post Office Box 99, Station G, New York 19, N. Y., and ask for your copy. (Released by The Bell Syndicate, Inc.)

sions could bring considerable embarrassment for the United States delegation. Because of commitments in other parts of the world, the United States is sharply limited in the financial aid it can offer Latin America at this time.

Despite probable embarrassment, the conference at Bogota could be a refreshing interlude from Eastern Hemisphere dealings. The Latin American nations have their trials and differences, but still they greet each other with smiles, talk intelligently, and part as friends.

And Don't Forget Me, Come Next November



## Letters to the Editor

Letters to The Editor must bear the name of the writer. Communications must be free of libel and personal attacks upon individuals as such. Only original communications addressed to The Freeman will be printed.

### 'Footlighters'

Editor, The Freeman:  
 So many of my friends and acquaintances have died recently of that horrible thing cancer. Why cannot this disease be eradicated? Could it be that funds for research are not available? In fact I have heard that funds are greatly needed so should this be one of the reasons let us all give and give to this great cause. Remember, this is one thing that you support that helps here in these United States—because all people of all ages suffer from this terrible terrible cancer.

I was greatly pleased when I heard the "Footlighters" (of which I am a member) unanimously vote to put on their first production (Out of the Frying Pan) for this great cause. These young people realized that cancer is killing our nation. They also realized that the theater must be kept alive in this community, that is their reason

for forming their group. Remember, the stage is life, music, art, sermons, poetry, beauty and tragedy, all wrapped in one package. Our high school has its drama group and do a marvelous job too, but after four years of high school what then? Must those who love this art just cast it aside? No, that is where the "Footlighters" come in. We accept all ages and all persons as members. Kingston has advantages that other communities do not enjoy and that is in having Woodstock as a neighbor. They are more than generous with their help too. In fact our director Warren Burnette lives in Woodstock and he has been more than helpful to this group. I predict we will be hearing great things of this young producer before many years pass. So in closing do come out and enjoy this comedy on Monday night and help our nation become a healthy nation.

MRS. RAYMOND GROSS.

## So They Say...

Profiteering in peace can be as dangerous to the economy as is profiteering in war. The nation needs protection now from profiteering. Rep. J. D. Dingell (D) of Michigan, calling for reimposition of excess profits tax on corporations.

You don't stop inflation by "lip service." If you can halt the rising wage cycle, you will see the start of a lower price cycle. Competition and efficiency will work to decrease prices.—E. C. Grace, chairman, Bethlehem Steel Corp.

If Europe is to be saved, the European must act vigorously to bring inflation under control in ways that are well understood, but far from painless. Nothing the United States can do will be effective unless Europeans do more.—Former Sen. Robert M. La Follette of Wisconsin.

The word "isolation" means short pants for a grown-up United States.—Henry Wallace.

Everyone wonders what a man who never says anything sounds like.—Oscar Levant, concert pianist.

## Questions—Answers

Q—Does his place of residence affect the normal body temperature of a man?

A—The normal temperature is 98.6 degrees F., whether the man lives in the tropics or the polar regions.

Q—What is meant by books being in public domain?

A—The phrase "public domain" is used in speaking of a book indicates that it is not protected by copyright.

Q—What was the first election held in the United States?

A—Probably the earliest elections were those of delegates to the Virginia Assembly in 1619, but the earliest date specified is that of the election of John Winthrop as governor of Massachusetts, May 18, 1631.

Q—Why is the Rosetta stone famous?

A—It supplied the key to Egyptian hieroglyphics.

Q—What are called the four estates of the realm?

A—The nobility, clergy, commons, and the press. Radio is frequently referred to as the fifth estate.

## ULSTER PARK

Ulster Park, April 1—Preaching services in the Reformed Church will start at 9:45 a. m. with the Rev. Robert Baines of Kingston in charge. The Rev. Harry E. Christiansa will occupy the pulpit of the Hyde Park Reformed Church of which the Rev. Mr. Baines is pastor.

Mrs. A. A. Savastano and children, Alda and Jeffries of Providence, R. I., are spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Holt N. Winfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Herring have returned from a six weeks' vacation in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Crispell and son Harold of Newburgh spent Easter with Mrs. Crispell's sister, Mrs. R. C. Gendreau and family.

Large congregations attended the Easter services at the Reformed Church.

Miss Priscilla DuMond of Ithaca spent Easter with her brother C. C. DuMond, Jr., and family.

Wass, Patricia Gendreau spent a couple of days this week with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Crispell in Newburgh.

Ulster Grange, 969, will hold its regular meeting in the hall April 7. This will mark the official visit of the district deputy.

There will be a short literary program. The committee for April includes Mr. and Mrs. L. Herring, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Herring, Doris and Herring, Mrs. John Finerty, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kurdt and Mr. and Mrs. J. Hudson Cole.

At the communion service in the Reformed Church Sunday morning Miss Marjorie Jahn, Robert Terwilliger and Richard Gendreau, Jr., were united with the church.

Robert Kiel of Rosendale was a weekend guest of Israel and Anna Terpening.

## STONE RIDGE

Stone Ridge, April 2—Mrs. Ernest Schwarz and daughters are spending a few days with her parents in the Bronx.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hendrick and daughter have been spending their spring vacation with Mr. Hendrick's mother, Mrs. Millie Hendricks.

Methodist Church, the Rev. B. C. Schmidt, pastor—Sunday school, 10 a. m.; worship service, 11 a. m., with sermon on the topic, "The Second Mile." The sub-district rally of the Methodist Youth Fellowship will be held Sunday at Pine Bush. Choir rehearsal will be held at the parsonage Thursday.

A baked ham and clam chowder sale will be held at Elmhurst's April 7, starting at 11 a. m. Orders may be made through Mrs. Cortland Lunar, High Falls 3189, until April 12. A turkey supper will be served at the Sunday school room April 21.

St. Peter's Episcopal Church, the Rev. Robert Ward, vicar—Worship service, 11:15 a. m. Reformed Church, the Rev. Gerrit Timmer, pastor—Sunday school, 10 a. m.; worship service, 11 a. m.

Miss Patricia Ham, a student at Madison College, Va., spent the Easter vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Ham.

Mrs. Richard Davidson and daughter Sally of Scarsdale and Mrs. Leonard Hobert of New York are spending the week with their mother, Mrs. Sadie Snyder.

Miss Florence Ransom spent Saturday at the home of Mrs. John Whitten in Accord.

Miss Joan Field of Roselle, N. J., spent the week with relatives in the village.

## Special Stamp

President Truman has directed the Post Office Department to issue a special three cent stamp to mark "100 Years of Progress by the Women of America." The first day's sale will be at Seneca Falls, N. Y., where the first woman's rights convention was held in 1848. The design and date of issue will be announced later.

# BABSON on BUSINESS

## "SHALL I BUILD NOW?"

New York City, April 2—There are many factors connected with new building today which should hold up costs for some time. Most of the increase is due to two main causes:

### Why Costs Are High

(1) The increased powers of labor unions causing higher wages, shorter hours, and poorer work. This is partly due to the higher cost of living, restrictions as to apprentices, and the increased demand for houses. This labor cost applies from the cutting of the timber in the forests through every step of transportation, milling, superintending, marketing, etc., up to the real estate man who sells the house. Moreover, this costly situation is encouraged by Federal and State labor laws, municipal codes, social security deductions and a dozen more additions.

(2) Another factor is the taxes which must be paid by those who cut the tree, mill the timber, sell the lumber and other building material—as well as the taxes which the contractor must pay. These all snowball up one upon another with this result: The house which ten years ago cost \$6,000 now costs \$12,000; but 50 per cent of this increase is due to the increased taxes which our present Administration at Washington collects.

### Houses Recently Built

In view of the above, I seriously doubt if the cost of building new houses will decline much for some years. It is true that the quality of building materials should improve and that labor may give more value for a dollar of wages because nonunion labor competition will become more plentiful. Ultimately, there will be a decline in building costs to a point of ten years ago and the cost today. Even such a decline, however, is some time away. So much for new construction.

Now as to the price during the next few years of houses already built. There is no building boom ahead. Residential building in 1948 may be less than in 1947, while 1949 may be only slightly better than 1948 owing to war preparation restrictions.

## Will Check Autos Free for Defects In Driving Parts

Local motorists may have headlights and wheel balance checked free of charge during "Bear the Banner of Safety Week," sponsored by the Albany Avenue Garage, Inc., beginning April 5.

"We have joined this national safety movement to do our share in curbing the rapidly rising toll of street and highway accidents," stated A. W. Embree, owner of the local garage.

"Recent surveys show that more than a third of the cars on the highways today are over 10 years of age. Also, there are more cars in operation at this time than ever before in our history. This means an increase in defective front end and steering parts that directly or indirectly cause accidents."

"Tests in some cities have resulted in the rejection of more than 80 per cent of the cars for poor headlights, 60 per cent for bad brakes, and 50 per cent for defective steering parts," Mr. Embree pointed out. "We pledge our support to this worthwhile national safety campaign to reduce accidents and hope that the driving public of Ulster county will join us."

## METTACAHONTS

Mettacahonts, April 1—The April meeting of the Willing Workers was held this week at the hall.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lennon and daughter of Albany spent the Easter week-end at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Osterhoudt.

Jennie Osterhoudt of Kingston spent Easter at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Osterhoudt and family.

Mrs. Floyd Oakley of Cornwall recently spent a few days at the home of William H. Miller and daughter Viola.

Mr. and Mrs. Jansen Osterhoudt and daughter spent Easter at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sherman and family in Kerhonkson.

Mrs. William Treadway recently spent a few days in New York and was accompanied home by her mother, Mrs. Slade.

Grant Schoonmaker, who has been seriously ill at the Kingston Hospital, returned home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edsel Osterhoudt and daughter, Doris, spent Easter at the home of Mrs. Osterhoudt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jason Gray.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kron at the Elmhurst Hospital March 26.

## Twenty and Ten Years Ago

April 3, 1928—Men's Club of Y.M.C.A. elected Fred L. Van Deusen president.

Mrs. Emma R. Palmer of Franklin street died.

Death of Patrick F. Quigley of Albany street.

Frederick B. Craig, Civil War veteran, died in Tilsen.

April 3, 1938—Judge William D. Cunningham of Scarsdale, speaking at Knights of Columbus annual breakfast, declared: "The greatest enemy in the world today is Communism."

Edwin Hall of Ellenville and Ralph O'Neal of Nanapanoch were victims of a double drowning in pool below Honk Falls Power Co. dam.

Josephine B. Terpening Chipp died at age 130, 130 Clinton avenue, aged 98 years.

When universal training and the draft take effect, contractors may begin to unload. They may be glad to get rid of some of the houses they are forced to take over. It's all a question of supply and demand influenced by war preparations. Thus far more people have been moving into most cities—especially returning veterans—than there were houses. Now some of these supply will wish to leave and to sell their houses. At first, this may be easy; but after the supply of such houses exceeds the present demand—prices could crumble fast. So much for houses built during the past three years.

### What About Old Houses?

The most attractive thing in real estate—outside of properly located subsistence farms—are old well-built houses in the best sections of small cities. These can still be bought for half what they would today cost new—and in many cases are better than they could be built today at any price. As people become more war-conscious and as the draft takes young men, they will gradually sell their homes in large cities and move into safe communities.

Hence, while big city property is going down in price, these small city properties may be going up in price. If you own such a house, continue to hold it. If you live in a good section, buy a house next to you as an investment. Many of these old houses will double in price while the new houses built for veterans during the past few years may sell at perhaps one half what is now being asked for them. Unless you want one of these now, then wait for distressed sales.

### What About War Outlook?

A great question is whether a war boom honeymoon is again ahead of us? If so, houses, ranches, and most city property could hold up awhile longer. There will be no war this year; but the very preparation for war should stimulate buying. One thing that looks good are certain large houses—now on the market at very low prices—which can be made over into apartments. There will always be a demand for well-located apartments. Even these you should live in or near and attempt to sell. There is no easy way to make money in real estate.

## New Equipment In the Kitchen

Two-Oven Stove and Flexible Oven Also Deep-Well Cooker Now Available

If kitchens become any slicker than they are now, they'll have to go in for remote control and let the housewife out of the picture entirely. For practically all kitchen chores can be done now like magic with electricity or gas.

Among the newest improvements in kitchen equipment are two-oven stoves which mean that a roast or a turkey in the oven needn't hinder you from going ahead with another baking job at the same time. There's also a new kitchen sink that can be made larger or smaller as needed, thus saving fuel on little jobs.

Various deep-well cookers set into the tops of new type ranges are conveniences as versatile types of broiling racks. The glass oven door is a big help and so is a new warming compartment unit that is also a drying rack for kitchen towels.

### Refrigerator Drawers

Refrigerators are now made with special storage drawers for meats, while fruit and vegetable compartments with plate glass tops are designed to keep green things fresh and crisp. A wire door rack for small things and a pedal for opening the door when your hands are full are great helps.

The really modern kitchen has a dish washer as well as complete electric laundry equipment all built right into the cabinet units around the wall, thus taking up no extra space but adding immeasurably to the convenience of the kitchen. Both washer and dryer slide in and out of cabinets made to fit them and enclose them behind doors when not in use.

### Kitchen Made Lighter

Kitchen illumination and ventilation have been neglected long enough. Glass block has corrected a multitude of sins on that score, because a wall of it makes it possible to bring the light of day into the farthest corners of closed cupboards and over the entire work-top surfaces—a suffused light without glare. By night the same effect can be achieved by indirect lighting.

As for ventilation over the stove, the newest and best thing is a glass hood over the stove with an electric exhaust fan in it to carry off all fumes.

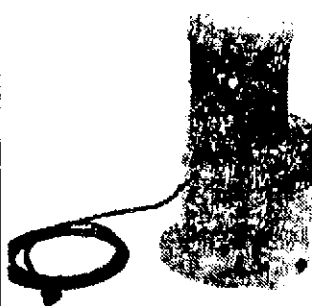
### Plans Available

Complete plans and specifications for this house, The Beacon, may be obtained at moderate cost. To ascertain the exact price of these documents, write to the Home Building Editor, Kingston Daily Freeman, and enclose a self-addressed envelope bearing three-cent stamp. At least one week should be allowed for a reply.

### Aids Guests

If guests arriving after dark have difficulty locating your house, one of the inconspicuous yet perfectly visible little numbered signs that reflect the light from approaching motor cars placed near the curb in front of your home might be a happy investment.

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## House Finished In Cold Weather Needs Extra Care

If you are finishing your new home this winter be sure that you "break it in" properly. A new house is somewhat like a new car, a collection of many kinds and types of newly assembled materials. If treated with some care at the outset, its life will be long and satisfactory.

Avoid over-heating; new houses are naturally damp. It takes at least 60, and often 90 days to remove from the house all the moisture introduced therein through the plastering operation. If heat is turned on suddenly and in too great volume the reaction of the house will be violent. "Settlement" will take place too quickly. Plaster will dry too suddenly and the result will be unnecessarily wide openings in wood joints and plaster cracks which will be avoided if the drying-out process were more moderate and occurred over a longer period of time.

If you plan to finish your home at a time of year which requires heat, restrain your natural impulse to move in the day the house is finished. Allow two or

three weeks of gradual drying, with the temperature not over 60 degrees. The house will be more comfortable when you finally move in and you will be repaid for your patience through fewer blemishes resulting from adjustment to the new temperature.

## Motor-Operated Doors For Garages Convenient

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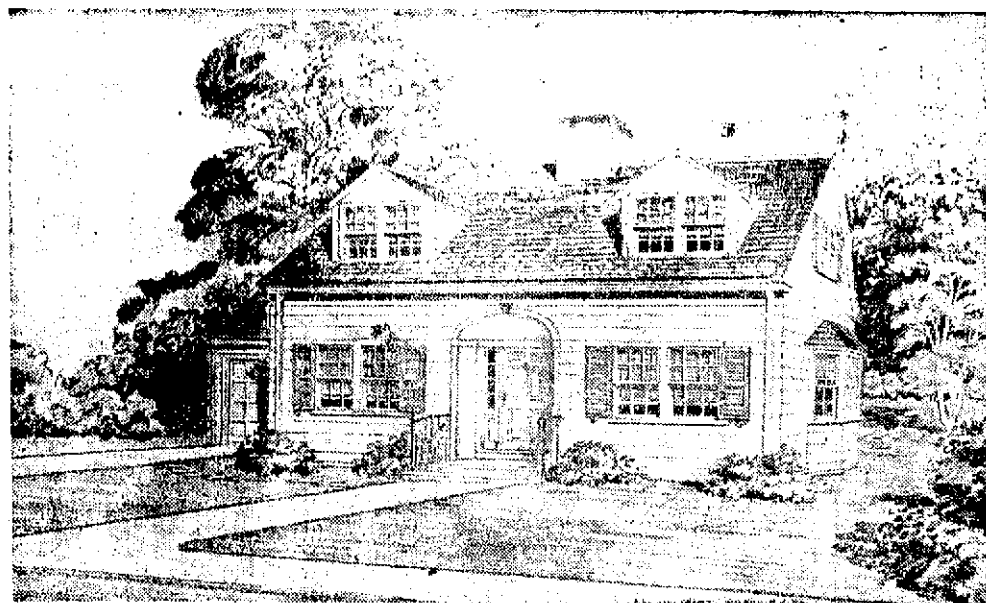
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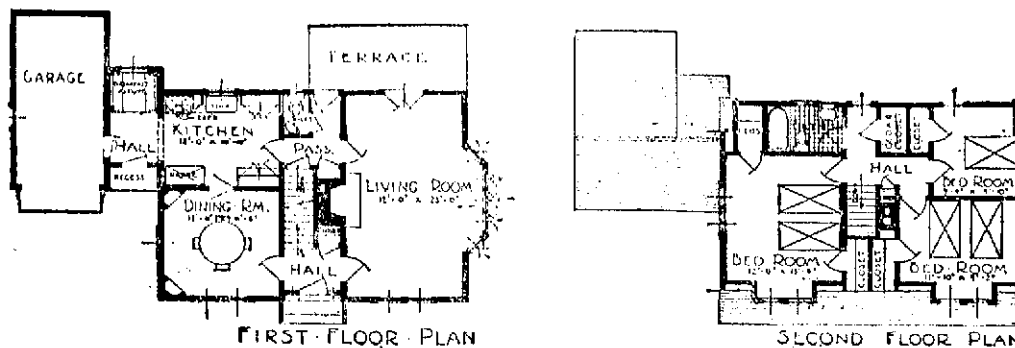
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Complete plans and specifications are available.

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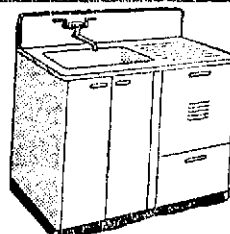
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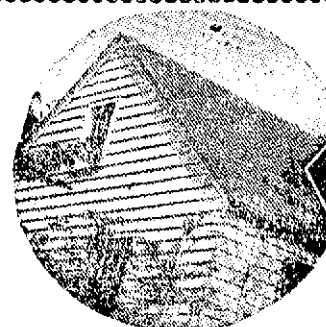
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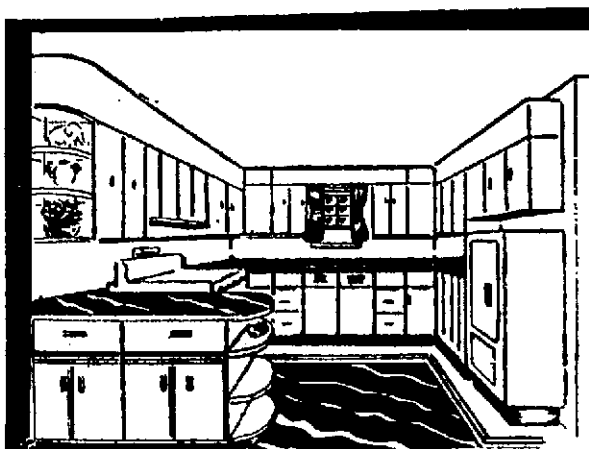
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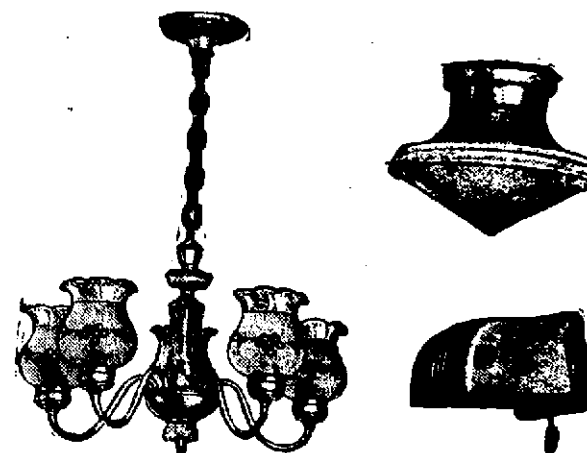
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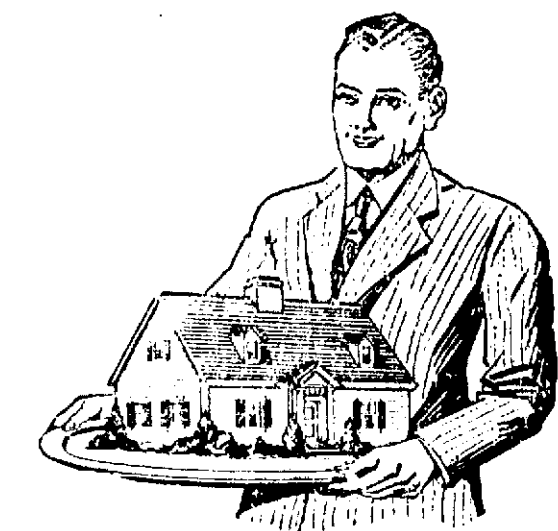
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# OFFICE CAT

By Junius

The way to avoid aging is to think and talk only about current events, asserts a psychologist. Yep, but many prefer growing old to going nuts.

The N.B.C. has removed its ban on the use of the word "diaper" on the air by radio comedians, but it must be used only for dry humor, it is announced. A lot of it is pretty dry anyway, even without out diapers.

We have no desire to become involved in a legal tangle, but it seems only fair, under all the circumstances, that fines paid for parking meter violations should be paid into the city treasury instead of being bulked with all other fines.

Judge (Listening to traffic case) — Did you have complete command of yourself at the time of the accident?

Meeker (or No sir, that is, my wife was with me.

Season Observation — When spring comes fast and furious, summer's heat and rain. The folks who stormed at cold it's curious. Are those who now complain. Mrs. H. J. Faust.

With some girls "No" is like a comma because it doesn't mean a complete stop.

4740 children under 15 years old were killed in automobile accidents in America in 1947. Innocence is fatal if you don't drive carefully.

We can remember when the fellow who had a horse and buggy had the best chance of getting a girl and it is about the same now, even though the buggies are horseless. But it was much safer to do sparking with old Dobbin picking his way along a road than it is today with one hand on the wheel.

Percy: Jack was pinched for speeding yesterday.

At: Why?

Percy: His wife wanted to go home to her mother.

At: Well?

Percy: He was taking her there.

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## -BARBS-

BY HAL COCHRAN

Work never hurts a man unless he keeps away from it.

A Tennessee woman was flogged for revealing secrets. That sort of thing should be stopped right now. It's none of our women will be safe.

No-button men's shirts are plentiful on the market now. It's

hard to distinguish them from those just returned by the laundry.

People who don't pay as they go have a hard time coming back.

A man pinched for window peeping said he was looking for his car. There are a lot of those midgets around these days.

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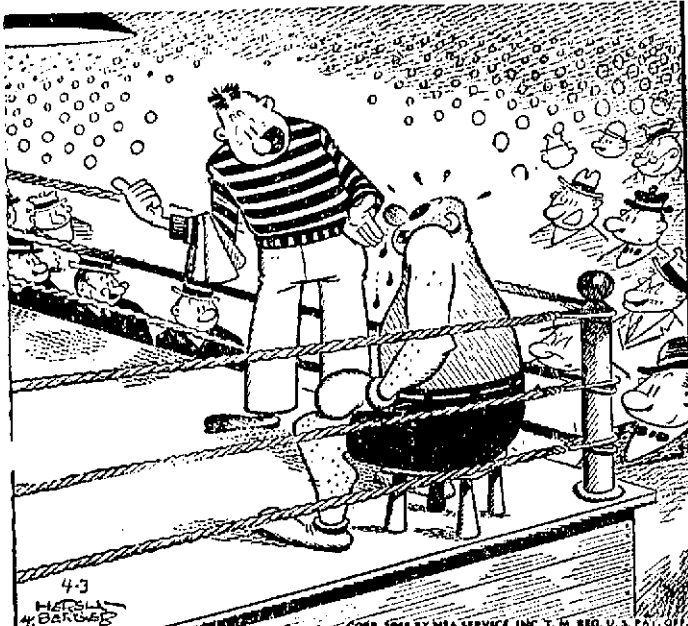
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## FUNNY BUSINESS

By Hershberger



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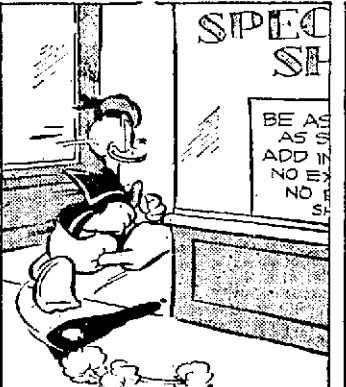
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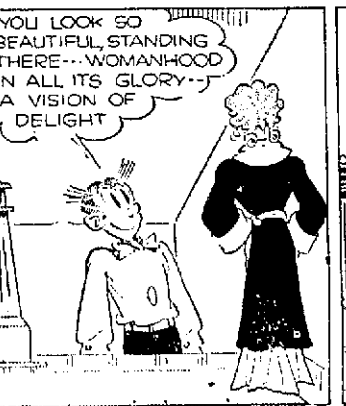
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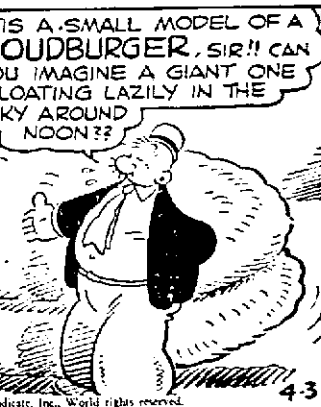
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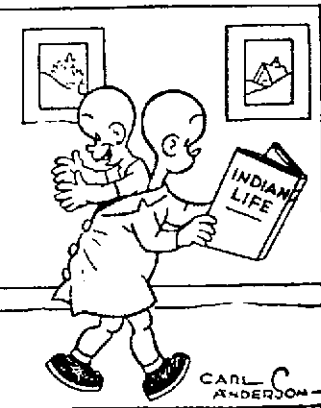
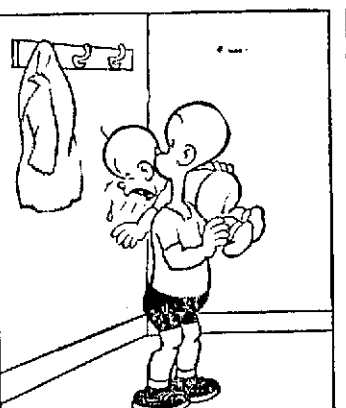
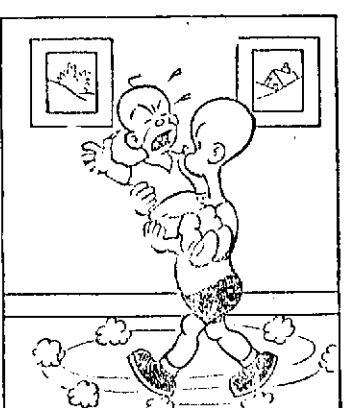
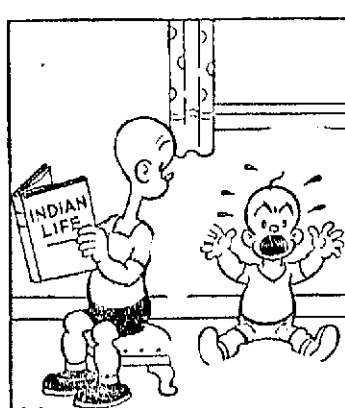
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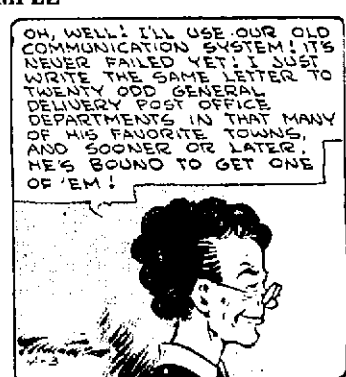
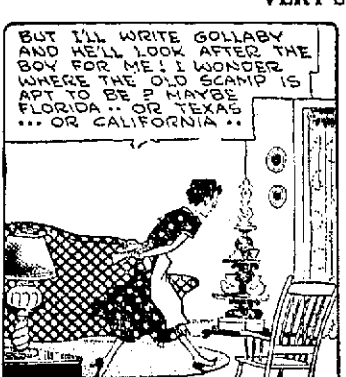
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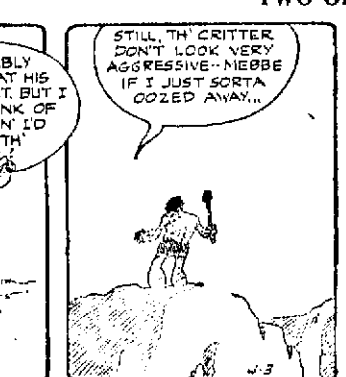
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TWO OF A KIND

By V. T. HAMLEN



## CARNIVAL

By DICK TURNER



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## SIDE GLANCES

By GALBRAITH



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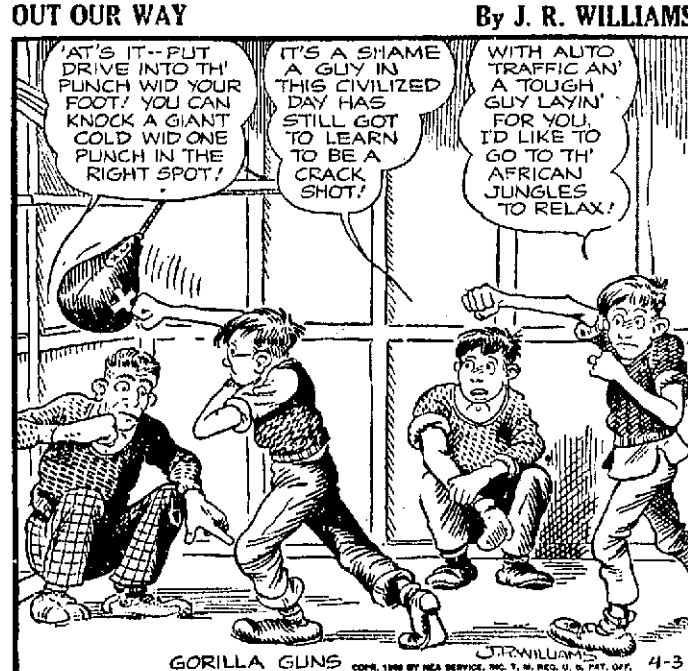
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## OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. WILLIAMS



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## FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

WHOZIT?

By MERRILL BLOSSER



# Sickler's Defeat Williams Street in Sensational Duel, 59-54

## Y-Ping Pong Squad Defeated

The Poughkeepsie "Y" boys' ping pong squad scored a repeat victory over the local Y, 20-5, yesterday in Poughkeepsie. Earlier in the week they had won at the local Y, 10-6.

McGuire and Strain were the victors for the local Y, while Blume made a last-minute showing for Kingston. The final results were three losses.

Kingston (3): Blume 2-3, Freer 1-3, Hackett 1-3, Morris 1-3, Roach 1-3.

Poughkeepsie (20): Spitz 5-0, D. McGuire 5-0, Murphy 2-3.



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## In The Pocket

with CHARLIE TIANO

**The Indispensable Man?**

It is inconceivable that in the vast realm of the Kingston Bowling Association which numbers nearly 1,000 individuals there are so few men qualified or worthy of consideration as candidate for president of the KBA that the official nomination slate is forced to designate a man who has already served terms as president and secretary.

We have no objections to Gil Sampson's candidacy personally. We do feel, however, that since the presidency is primarily an honorary position, it should be passed around and no man should serve more than one term. Certainly, not even Gil would care to have himself set up as the indispensable man. And there are many capable, qualified men who would take the presidency if it were offered to them.

Nobody disputes the second term candidate's qualifications for the office. He is an able organizer, a shrewd bowling politician who has a way of selling his wares to unwary cohorts, and is not averse to electioneering right on the floor of the annual directors' meeting if necessary. Sometimes he likes to dote on technicalities and occasionally he goes into a self-imposed retirement as in the current Major League, only to bubble up on a stronger sound. But these idiosyncrasies are not a serious nature and certainly are his own business.

The question of the KBA's presidency is another matter. Since the presidency is an honorary position, why not follow the usual policy of passing it around to standout men who make bowling their sports pursuit. Just scan the bowling rosters and you'll find an endless list of eligibles. Even Gil will admit that. And let's not hear those famous last words: "Nobody wants to take the job."

**Flotsam and Jetsam:**

Look out for that man coming down Fair street. . . That's Herman Gottfried, Jr., "The Great" U.S. Naval Reserve. . . Give him five minutes and he'll have you believing a Turkish harem is a blink of an eye compared to life with the old salts. . . He gave us a spiel a few days ago and that night we had a horrible nightmare. . . We were snuck out in the middle of the night in a corvette and then we felt right out of bed. . . What a relief to hit dry land! . . . P. J. Beichert, ex-sports pundit and now a Port Ewen automobile tycoon laments a recent article on this page in which we suggested that Beichert's "backed into" the Independent League bowling title. . . How else could we describe it when the "champs" drop two games on certain night and win the pennant by ONE game. . . Don't worry about it, P. J., the folks out in Detroit have a sense of humor too. . . But the suggestion that you pose for the official championship photo with the other four men carrying you on their backs, well, that was a dirty crack, we'll agree.

An enterprising piscatorial expert sends along something new and "sensational" in the line of oil for fly rods and assorted fishing paraphernalia. . . He suggests that we give it to some outstanding angler with just one stipulation. . . No trout sleuth who was ever scared by a big black bear is eligible. This qualification will make Mrs. Jansen very unhappy since Art is automatically thrown into the ashcan.

**Of Men and Mice:**

Ed "Moose" Krause, varsity basketball coach at Notre Dame, will be guest speaker at the victory dinner for Siena College's basketball team on Sunday, April 14. . . S. Christina dunked 16 points as Amrod's Aces of Saugerties thumped Sickler's Delivery, 55-48, in a prize upset. . . George Bloom led the Delivery with 14. . . The Saugerties Fish and Game Club recently distributed 2000 eight to ten inch trout in the waters of Plattkill creek starting below the Fish Creek bridge to Blue Mountain and West Saugerties. . . Nothing since the advent of the "new look" has created such a stir as Hizzoner's new mustache. . . Fritz Bruhn went "3 for 0" the first three bouts Thursday night and then came up with a classic alibi that somebody must have been blocking the judge's view. . . What's this about Fred Eiser of the Stuyvesant planning an imminent return to footballs. . . Fred was quite an amateur boxer in his prime. . . Jack Dwyer, an alderman, plied in about proposed improvements for the Athletic Field. . . Athletic minded councilmen like Jack are a boon for local sports.

**It Must Be That "Sunshine":**

Southern California University has had monopoly in the 100-yard dash since 1894. . . The Trojans have had a spectacular array of century men ever since. . . The first time was in 1904, which stood until 1914 when Trojan Howard Drew bettered it with 9.6. . . Charley Padlock equaled this in 1921, then clipped another second off in '26 as well as did teammate Charlie Borah, when they ran a dead heat. . . Four years later Frank Wyckoff twice ran the 100 in 9.4. . . This is still the fastest time, but was equaled twice last year by Mel Patton.

**MULLIGAN MIKE SAYS:** Don't be too pessimistic, fellows. In the fair sex's taffeta petticoats, we are assured, there'll be a rustle of spring, anyway.

## Siena College Cagers Appear in Saugerties

The powerful Siena College varsity basketball squad will play an exhibition game against an all-star Saugerties-Kingston combine at the Saugerties municipal auditorium tonight at 9 o'clock.

The crack Albany outfit, which is avowedly pointing for big time rating, compiled a 22-6 record during 1947-48 against leading intercollegiate competition. One of the outstanding accomplishments was a victory over Canisius.

George "Zuke" Zelle, Hartwick College captain and high scorer, heads the galaxy of former K.H.S. stars who will compete. Big Ed Weaver of the current Maroon powerhouse is also listed along with Big Andy Murphy, Buddy Smith, of Ithaca College and George Bloom, ace pivot man in the City League.

**Four Home Aces:**

Saugerties players selected for the outstanding attraction are John Carrighi, Jack Baker, "Kippy" Van Ethen and "Boggy" Beers.

Five of the seven Siena basketballers are over the 6 foot mark, with George Webber, center, stretching 6 feet 7 inches. The Siena first string array features

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## Ulster-Shapiro Battle Decides HVBL Pennant

## Saugerties Plans Crack Semi-Pro Baseball Club

## DeMarco Nips Young

New York, April 3 (AP)—Acrobats replaced fighters in Madison Square Garden today as the 20th Century Sporting Club gave way to the circus for the next six weeks.

An old fashioned brawl brought the weekly winter boxing shows to an end last night. Paddy DeMarco of Brooklyn won his second straight split decision over Terry Young of New York in a fierce 10-round battle.

Blood flowed freely and science didn't have a chance as the two lightweights pounced a near octagonal house of 17,114 with a free-swinging exhibition.

DeMarco fled from his nose and mouth from the third round. Young's lip was split early in the fight. Referee George Walsh and Judge Tom Guilfoyle voted for DeMarco. Judge Jack O'Sullivan thought Young won.

The loss again knocked Young out of title fight with Ike Williams. DeMarco weighed 136½ to Young's 139½.

**Paul Hawks in Pro Ring Debut At Newburgh**

An all-star pro boxing show featuring four six-round bouts and two four-rounders will be presented at the Avalon Recreation Center in Newburgh next Monday night.

Twelve top fighters whose performances have pleased Hudson Valley fight fans this season have been signed up by Avalon Matchmaker Jimmy Ambrose for this outstanding fight presentation.

The six-round bouts include: Jimmy Herring of Long Island vs. Freddie Walker of Hartford; Mike Verrozzo of New York city vs. Eddie Richardson of Paterson, N. J.; Al Smith of Long Island vs. Billy Forde of Philadelphia; and Jimmy Taylor of New York city vs. Jimmy Milligan of Pompton Lakes.

Paul Hawks, popular Beacon batter, has been booked for one of the four-rounders. He will oppose Joe Brown of Schenectady in his first professional appearance. Billy Miller of Long Island and Frankie Alvarez of Schenectady clash in the second four-rounder.

**Search Continues for Citation Opposition**

New York, April 3 (AP)—The search for a possible long shot to beat Citation in the Kentucky Derby continued today at Jamaica Race Track.

Eight derby eligibles were named overnight for the running of the six-furlong \$200,000-added experimental free handicap. Turf followers were hopeful that at least one would join Better Self as a worthy opponent for citation in the derby. Better Self demonstrated his fitness by romping off with the Pausonok Handicap on Thursday.

Topweight in the field of nine were Ben Whitaker's My Request at 122 pounds and W. L. Brann's Escadru at 121.

**Canadian Boxers Enjoy Stuyvesant Hospitality**



Fred Eiser, operator of the Hotel Stuyvesant, chats with Canadian boxing team as they read The Freeman sports page prior to competing in the ring for B'nai B'rith amateur bouts at the municipal auditorium. The athletes on Eiser's left are Clayton Kenny, Ronnie Lacelle, Joey Sandulo, Mel Svartman, trainer and

## Key Match at Newburgh Sunday

Three teams have a chance to win the sensational 1947-48 Hudson Valley Bowling League race which ends Sunday but none of the trio—defending champions Hotel Ulster of Kingston, Newburgh Shapiros and Newburgh Taxis—is making any plans for a post-season championship celebration—not yet anyway.

The intriguing climax which finds Ulsters and Shapiros in a flat-footed tie and Taxis just one game off the pace is expected to attract a record breaking Kingston crowd to the Empire alleys in Newburgh tomorrow at 3 p. m.

**Rooters To Newburgh**

The match is expected to establish a precedent in that fans will accompany the Ulsters to the Hill City in unprecedented numbers. The seating facilities at the Empire, limited as it is, will furnish a problem for management.

While the Shapiros and Ulsters are cutting each other's throat in Newburgh, the Taxis travel to Port Jervis where the hosts can be awfully tough, especially if you have to beat them on their own pet drives. It looks like an interesting afternoon all the way around.

**Ferraro Key Man**

Some fair country keggers will square off in the Shapiro-Ulsters duel. John Ferraro, of course, is the bellwether of the Ulster squad which will also have Harold Broskie, one of the top ten average men, Hod Spaulding, Johnny Schatzel and Charlie Tiano.

Wally Gerken, a grizzled veteran of 25 years on the polished lanes, leads the home forces, along with such worthies as Joe "Wrong Foot" Cervoni, John Horst, Tommy Jones and youthful Joe Sears.

The league's tenth annual banquet is scheduled on Sunday, April 11, at the Three Caballeros Inn, Poughkeepsie.

## Zephyrs Outhuff Ashokan, 99-83

Everybody scored but the benches at the Kingston Zephyrs outhuffed the Ashokan Atoms, 99-83, in the final basketball game of the season in Ashokan this week. The contest was the heaviest scoring duel reported this season.

Double figures were a dime a dozen. The top scorer was W. Cohen, Atom forward, who racked up 31 points. Not far behind came a trio of Zephyr sharpshooters—Edwards 26, T. Roach 25 and C. Morris 24.

Virtually forgotten in the rush were F. Scholey with 15, E. Bode 13 and K. Davis 16. The Zephyrs led 31-23 at the half.

The boxscore:

Kingston Zephyrs (99)				
Edwards, f	26	FG	FP	TP
C. Morris, f	24	12	2	26
T. Roach, c	25	10	5	25
A. Lyke, g	4	1	1	9
F. Scholey, g	15	7	1	15
	45	9	9	99

**Ashokan Atoms (83)**

K. Davis, f	16	FG	FP	TP
W. Cohen, f	31	15	1	31
E. Bode, c	13	6	1	13
G. Jackson, c	3	3	0	6
W. Jackson, g	3	1	0	6
B. Jackson, g	1	0	2	5
J. Leacock, g	1	0	2	5
R. Oakley, g	2	1	5	7
A. Pernice, g	0	1	1	3
	39	5	8	83

## Locals Stave Off Elimination In Tournament's Best Contest

## Milton Basketeer Suffers Broken Nose

John Casey, a member of the Milton Packer basketball club, suffered a broken nose in the middle of the third period of last night's Mid-Hudson Valley tournament game between Milton and Fuller Sports at the municipal auditorium. Casey was injured in a collision with Joe Garland of Fullers. He was treated at the Kingston Hospital and returned to the auditorium in time to see the end of the game won by his team, 60-52.

## Bowling Scores

**Dominic Auzzano's 211-548 led the Hercules League keggers in a low scoring session last night. Among the other "500" shooters were R. Walker 191-518; H. Harder 199-540; H. DuBois 178-500; L. Hotelling 189-513; Charlie Horne 187-539; R. Hanley 189-537; J. Reis 199-505.**

Jas. Costello who leads more leagues than you can shake a stick at, was at it again in the Electrical loop, taking up 542 to shade Tony LaRocca by a couple of pins. Costello's best solo was 206 and LaRocca's 190.

The "500" club included among others P. Jordan 178-516; Ellisworth 201-536; Rabble 196-517; M. Turk 176-517; R. Myers 196-520.

## Otto Tops NOACDO

Games of 173, 199 and 188 enabled Ray Otto to dominate the weekly session of the Noacdo with a 558 trio. Scores were generally low, Jack Parslow won with 204-535; O. Carney 179-519; S. Colvin 195-517; C. Beatty 198-530; P. Slover 188-534; Burt Burr 192-531; R. Kubicek 194-505; F. Sterly 174-501; G. Dittmar 182-511; A. Smith 186-538.

Al Kirtel doubled for 424 with a rousing 254 second game.

With 213-558 Sam Hayes was top man by a good margin in the Y National League. A teammate, Bill Hornbeck, was runnerup with 195-550; G. Woodvine posted 188-533; C. Robinson 190-503; R. Catter 180-538; S. "Pop" Auchmoody 203-520; C. Wonderly, Jr. 191-521; Art Davis 205-503.

## Major League

Milton (1)				
Peterson, Jr.	185	219	187	582
Whitaker	221	148	183	553
Kirtel	180	160	124	464
Sant	188	180	181	549
Melrose	233	148	102	584
Totals	683	667	442	2094

Hotel Ulster (2)				
H. Myers	173	193	100	556
J. Schaefer	117	209	120	546
F. Ferraro	180	200	155	535
C. Manfro	158	212	201	571
J. Peterson	159	180	183	522
Totals	911	998	911	2788

Town Cafe (3)				
Hanley	166	208	176	550
Amato	117	180	120	417
Carrado	175	223	144	542
Shada	171	171	171	513
Tiano	182	182	182	546
Broskie	171	234	177	582
Totals	850	1042	875	2767

Jones Dairy (2)				
Spaulding	181	247	201	629
Smith	199	182	201	582
Kirtel	180	180	180	540
Williams	205	241	198	644
Blind	175	175	175	525
Totals	941	998	975	2934

Mickley's (2)				
Roux	197	223	188	608
Devis	119	165	200	484
Ross	159	180	183	522
Kelner	202	204	192	598
Blind	175	175	175	525
Totals	853	945	958	2773

Hynes (1)				
D. Howard	152	177	187	516
Niles	116	182	180	478
W. C. Mc	116	182	180	478
MacLellan	127	117	127	371
Rochin	225	153	224	602
Hyman	172	169	183	524
Totals	881	859	975	2713

Greenwald's (2)				
Gundagnola	207	245	200	652
Vogel	182	209	197	588
Wood	198	168	214	580
Van Aiksey	203	166	184	553
Greenwald	172	169	177	520
Totals	962	937	1014	2913

Wittwey Motors (1)				
Fleming	171	150	200	521
Sampson	182	182	200	564
Costello	169	200	199	568
Marlin	177	172	154	503
Robinson	193	220	177	590
Rice	187	237	171	595
Totals	897	979	910	2786

## Gretchen Looks Like Repeater

Colorado Springs, Colo., April 3 (AP)—Gretchen Merrill's chances of retaining her national figure skating championship looked brighter today after she had whirled through her free skating routine.

The Boston blonde trailed Yvonne Sherman, of New York, in the compulsory school figures, and must defeat her in free skating tonight to take her sixth senior ladies' crown.

The compulsory figures count 60 per cent toward the title. Scores were not announced, but it was reported unofficially that Miss Sherman won the required figures by less than a point.

As the two did their exhibition free skating last night, Miss Merrill appeared to be the better of the two. Tonight's performance, when the judges are giving points, may be a different story, however.

## FIGHTS LAST NIGHT

(By The Associated Press)

New York—Paddy DeMarco, 136½, Brooklyn, outpointed Terry Young, 139½, New York, 10.

Hollywood, Calif.—Rudy Davila, 150½, Los Angeles, outpointed Mike Angustain, 157½, Los Angeles, 6.

Worcester, Mass.—Johnny Pontenti, 153, Worcester, stopped Ed Lightfoot, 155½, Boston, 5.

## Murphy, Smith Are Big Guns

Sickler's Delivery won a spectacular 59-54 victory over the high scoring Williams Street Social Club of Newburgh, while Fuller Sports were victims of surprise 52-60 setback by the Milton Packers in last night's Mid-Hudson Valley tournament action before a slim crowd at the municipal auditorium.

It is regrettable that such a tremendous spectacle as the Sickler-Newburgh contest had to be wasted before a handful of spectators. Here was the greatest game of the tournament by far, a seething, hard-fought skirmish in which the score was tied 11 times.

**Murphy, Smith Star**

Powered by the slick ball handling and shooting of Buddy Smith and Big Andy Murphy, the Deliverymen were forced to come from behind several times in the second half to squelch the Hill City cagers who were enjoying a phenomenal percentage on outside shooting.

The lead changed hands seven times and the score was tied 11 times. The Newburghers, a fast breaking crew spearheaded by Dorazio and Alessi, led at the half 27-22.

Fortunes changed swiftly in the second half. The Sicklers rallied to knot the count 31-31 and then moved in front 48-42 before Antoneilli and Weissblatt closed the gap with six straight points. At that point, when a six point burst by Murphy, Smith and Bloom which including a couple of "steals" and solo layups broke the back of the Hill City basketweavers.

Murphy was his usual devastating self under the basket and came up with 17 points. Smith, the Ithaca collegian, racked up 15 and was the key man in the passing attack. Bloom and Gus Krach netted 8 each while McGrohe contributed 7. Dorazio's 15 points led Newburgh, with Alessi sinking 14 and Antoneilli 10.

**Fullers Fizzle**

Minus the services of Charlie Beck, the Fuller Sports couldn't quite whip up enough enthusiasm to stay with the fast breaking hustling Milton Packers and thereby suffered surprise elimination in the first game.

Milton ran up a 31-19 margin in the first half but despite their lethargy the Shirtmakers still could have pulled the game out of the first had they dropped half of the million shots they blew under the basket.



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Sun rises at 5:38 a. m.; sets at 6:30 p. m., E.S.T.  
Weather: Cloudy and warmer.

### The Temperature

The lowest temperature recorded on the Freeman thermometer during the night was 37 degrees. The highest figure recorded up to noon today was 42 degrees.

### Weather Forecast

New York city and vicinity—Sunny and cool today with a high temperature of 49; moderate to fresh northwesterly winds. Tonight clear and continued cool. Lowest temperature in low 40s in city and suburbs. Moderate northwesterly winds. Sunday mostly sunny and warmer, highest temperature 50 to 55 degrees.

Eastern New York—Partly cloudy and cool today. Mostly clear and somewhat colder tonight. Sunday, increasing cloudiness and warmer in afternoon.



COOL

### Four Plead Innocent

#### To Provenzano Charges

Four local youths entered pleas of innocent in city court today to disorderly conduct charges preferred against them by Thomas Provenzano, proprietor of the Royal Restaurant. All were released on \$50 bail pending hearing on April 7.

Police identified the youths as Frederick Bruckner, 20, and his brother, Albert, 18, both of 81 Brewster street; Edwin Krom, 21, of 47 Stephen street and Donald Stewart, 22, of 75 Wrentham street. They were arrested by Provenzano at 1:25 a. m. today and were brought to police headquarters by the police.

They are charged with creating a disturbance at the Royal Restaurant.

### Snow for a Minute

Snow fell momentarily in this city at 10:30 today. The flurry, which appeared for a time to be the beginning of a storm, passed away after but a minute, and the streets were dry again shortly after when the sun came out. The storm centered around Syracuse, the Associated Press reported, where a half inch or more of snow fell. The overnight low temperature at Syracuse was 29. The storm was attributed to moist warm winds from Lake Ontario.

## Witnesses Are Set

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have this choice: "We must live by our own wishes or as some dictator says." And he added: "I am ready to keep my uniform on as long as my country demands."

The former commander of allied forces in Europe is due to take over the presidency of Columbia University soon.

### DIED

CRISPELL—Suddenly in this city, April 2, 1948, Raymond W. Crispell, husband of Helen Ward Crispell, brother of Mrs. Pauline Brooks, Mary Crispell, Henrietta Crispell, Edna Crispell and Oscar Crispell.

Funeral services from the W. N. Connor Funeral Home, 296 Fair street, Monday, April 5, 1948, at 2 p. m. Interment in the Tongore Cemetery.

EIGNOR—Suddenly at Woodstock Saturday, April 3, 1948, Leslie E. Eignor of Glenford, brother of Eugene Eignor.

Funeral services at the Lasher Funeral Home, Woodstock, N. Y., Tuesday, April 6, 1948 at 1 p. m. Interment in the Pine Hill Cemetery. Friends may call at the Funeral Home any time Sunday and Monday afternoon and evening.

HICKEY—John James, Friday, April 2, 1948, at his residence, 75 Second avenue, husband of the late Mary E. Dinmond, father of Francis, James and Thomas Hickey and Mrs. John Gorman. Also surviving are six grandchildren.

Funeral will be from the late residence Monday morning at 9 o'clock and at St. Mary's Church at 9:30 where a high Mass of requiem will be offered for the repose of his soul. Interment in the family plot in St. Mary's cemetery. Friends may call at any time.

LORY—In this city, at residence, 27 Oak street, on April 3, 1948, Glenn E. son of John and Dorothy E. Grigsby Lory, age 11 years.

Funeral at the parlors of A. Carr and Son, 1 Pearl street, on Monday at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited. Interment in Wiltwyck Cemetery.

PROPER—Suddenly at Port Ewen, N. Y., Saturday, April 3, 1948, Howard Proper.

Funeral at his residence on Gurney street, Port Ewen, on Tuesday at 2 p. m. Interment in the Roseville Cemetery. Friends will be received at the home on Sunday and Monday evenings between the hours of 7 and 9 p. m.

### Memoriam

In loving memory of our dear husband and father who passed away one year ago today, April 3, 1947.

Gone, but not forgotten.  
MRS. WALTER B. HINKLEY and DAUGHTERS

Henry J. Bruch

FUNERAL HOME  
27 South Ave. | Woodstock, N. Y. | Kingston 370 | Woodstock 244

## Investigation Indicates That Fliers Were Lost

An investigation of the wreckage of the twin motored Mitchell bomber which crashed on Middle Ridge in the Catskills, Thursday evening, carrying three army men to their death indicates the men were apparently lost at the time and believed they were coming over Beacon Hill just outside Stewart Field where they were to set down the plane.

Following an inspection of the wreckage it was found the men had all adjusted their safety belts preparatory to a landing. The theory of the investigating officers, State Trooper Ray Dunn stated, was that the men had confused the lights of Broadway, Kingston, with the lights of Broadway, Newburgh, and in the haze believed the Ashokan reservoir to be the Hudson river. They then set their course in what they believed was the direction of Stewart Field and made preparations for a landing. When it was discovered the plane was not on Beacon Hill outside Stewart Field but at a higher peak the throttle was opened wide in an effort to clear the Catskill peak but that action was taken too late.

The plane crashed through the tops of trees for 400 yards before striking the mountain side. All of the men were thrown from the plane by the impact. One body was found 300 yards from the wreckage and the third was some distance below. When it was found the throttle was wide open it was assumed the men had made a last endeavor to sweep over the ridge. Air officials stated the appearance of Broadway, Kingston, is very similar to that of Newburgh from the air.

All three bodies were brought out about 4 o'clock Friday afternoon by stretcher after a road-way had been cut through the mountain. The bodies were taken to West Point and later to Stewart Field.

Trooper Ray Dunn of Phenicia led the ground forces and Army officers coordinated the efforts. Captain H. Allan Gay of Sidney and Lieut. Joseph Steeley were both on the scene with troopers from Sidney with an emergency rescue, walkie-talkie equipment and several troopers came in to aid in the search from Ferndale, Wurtsboro and other sections. The plane was so badly wrecked that, outside of some instruments which will be checked to determine if possible the cause of the crash, it was left at the scene, portions of it being buried by Friday. Herman Weidner of West Shokan led a second group of soldiers and citizens to the scene to aid in bringing out the three bodies.

### Local Death Record

Glenn E., 11, son of John and Dorothy E. Grigsby Lory of 27 Oak street, died this morning. Funeral will be held from the parlors of A. Carr & Son, 1 Pearl street, Monday at 2 p. m. Burial will be in Wiltwyck cemetery. Besides his parents he is survived by a half-brother, Arthur Mead, of Kingston. He was a member of the Cub Scouts and of Grade 7, School 8.

Raymond W. Crispell, husband of Helen Ward Crispell, died suddenly Friday in Kingston. Besides his wife he is survived by a brother, Oscar Crispell, and four sisters, Mrs. Pauline Brooks, Mary Crispell, Henrietta Crispell and Edna Crispell. Funeral services will be held from the W. N. Connor Funeral Home, 296 Fair street, Monday at 2 p. m. Burial will be in Tongore Cemetery.

### Proper Found Dead

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from the chair, walked a short distance and collapsed on the floor. Dr. Arthur J. Friedman of Port Ewen was called, but found the man was dead.

Proper was a member of the American Legion and attended the Port Ewen Reformed Church. Surviving are a sister, Beatrice C. Proper of Port Ewen, and three brothers, Earl of Port Ewen, Robert of Saugerties and Clarence C. Proper of Kingston.

The funeral will be held from the late home, Tuesday at 2 p. m. with burial in Roseville Plains Cemetery. Friends will be received at the home Sunday and Monday evenings from 7 to 9 o'clock.

### Russia Is Set

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supplies to Greece and Turkey. It is \$463,000,000 for aid to China and of which \$125,000,000 may be spent for military purposes and \$338,000,000 for the U. N. international children's fund.

This bill does not appropriate any money. Congress must do that in another bill.

However, the government can get \$1,000,000,000 from the Reconstruction Finance Corporation to be repaid later—to get the European phase started. An R.F.C. advance of \$50,000,000 each also is authorized for China, Greece and Turkey.

American aid will take two forms. Some of it will be given outright—probably about two-thirds of the total. The rest will be in loans for permanent reconstruction projects.

Officials have estimated nearly half the early R.F.C. shipments will go to Britain and France. Italy is expected to get the third largest share, with the Netherlands fourth and western Germany fifth.

### Murray Gold

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of the Town of Marlborough, the district said, if he waives examination, will be held for an Ulster county grand jury.

## Feather Plucker Basis for Dispute On Farm Factory

A feather-plucking machine seemed to be the main source of complaint that a Dutchess county farmer was operating as a factory, at a hearing in New York Thursday to determine the status of a labor department ruling, Albert Kurdt, county agricultural agent said today.

The Board of Standards and Appeals before whom the hearing was held in the Empire State building, the agent said, allowed the state labor department three weeks in which to file briefs following the date on which it is handed the minutes of yesterday's session.

Many interesting facts were brought out in the hearing, the county agent, who attended the session, reported today.

It was called to hear an appeal of the Linwood Poultry Farm of Rhinebeck, owned by J. B. Schalk, and aimed at determining whether certain directives issued by the labor department, must be carried out at the farm.

A department representative centered argument mainly on the point of whether the feather-plucking unit used on the Dutchess county farm should not be considered a machine, and the farm therefore classified as a factory.

Schalk operates a farm and poultry business and slaughters fowl on the premises, it was reported, and the department has ruled that the slaughter house is a factory, and must meet state factory-law health and safety provisions.

Ulster county poultrymen and other farmers are interested in the outcome of the department's decision, the county agent said, because of its far-reaching effects. The slaughtering unit on the Dutchess county farm also contained a scalding tank and refrigerator unit, but none of the equipment is considered of a type for classification as a factory, where most farmers are concerned.

Schalk reported that as many as eight persons had been employed on the farm and some assisted with the machinery, or the unit which the department contends is a machine.

Leaders Seek Information

The hearing attracted such farm leaders as Warren W. Hawley of Batavia, president of the New York State Farm Bureau Federation and Kenneth Fike, of Cobleskill, legislative representative of the New York State Grange.

It was suggested by an official, the county agent said, that special legislation might clear the issue. The problem is expected to be one considered by Ulster county poultrymen, who are in the process of forming a new organization.

### HIGH FALLS

High Falls, April 3—Reformed Church, the Rev. Gerrit Timmer, minister—Communion service will be held Sunday, 9:45 a. m. Sunday school, 9 a. m. Twenty people joined the church at the Easter service last Sunday. They were: Mrs. Frank Williams, Miss Joan Homfield and Charles Walker by letter; Mrs. Tracy Sutton, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bush, the Misses Theda Sutton, Anita Abrahamson, Natalie vanLaar, Eleanor vanLaar, Jane Briggs, Shirley Ayers, Marie Stokes, Shirley Williams and Louise Williams and George Williams Sr. Eli Sutton, Donald Higgins, Charles Williams and Charles vanLaar, confession of faith.

St. John's Episcopal Church, the Rev. Robert Ward, vicar—Worship service, 10 a. m. Sunday school, 9:15 a. m.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sheehy and daughters and Mrs. Carey and sister, Miss Mary Tully of Brooklyn spent the Easter week-end at Rock Cliff House.

The James Tullys of Brooklyn spent the week at their summer home here.

### The Joiners

News of Interest to Fraternal Organizations

Rondout Lodge, 343, F. & A. M., will hold its regular stated communication Monday at 7:30 p. m. in Masonic Temple, 31 Albany avenue, when David W. Corwin, district deputy grand master of the Greene-Ulster Masonic District, will make his official visit. All Master Masons are cordially invited to attend. Refreshments will be served in the dining room at the close of the meeting.

About the Folks

The Misses June and Ethel Mauterstock, 103 Hone street, who have been spending a few days in New York, returned home Friday night.

### Miners Free Now

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never been under any orders, directions or suggestions, expressed or implied from me, or any of the union officers, to cease work or to continue to cease work in protest to the present dishonoring (as we see it) of the 1947 contract.

Lewis has contended the 400,000 miners left the pits because they were "unwilling" to work. They began the walkout March 15 after a dispute between the U.M.W. chief and soft coal operators over terms for payments to miners from a pension fund.

Mushroom Stuffing

A delicious stuffing for mushrooms can be concocted from buttered fine dry breadcrumbs mixed with deviled ham.

## Doremus Charges Meeting Switch Cuts Attendance

The controversy between citizens of the town of Marlborough and the town board continues to attract attention of residents of the town. Friday a meeting of the town board was held at which a resolution was offered by Justice George Tompkins relative to the transfer of funds from the General fund to the Snow Removal and Miscellaneous fund back in 1947.

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## 'Sit Tight' . . .

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Under a 1945 agreement, the Russians occupy the Berlin radio station in the British zone.

The American guards bore side-arms and carbines. Col. Frank L. Howley, head of the U. S. military government in Berlin, said the American move was made because Russians in recent nights sent guards to the building after nightfall. The Russians claimed a new guard had been put in the building because of reports that criminal German elements were planning to destroy records there.

Clay Orders Roadblock

Gen. Lucius D. Clay ordered a roadblock across a thoroughfare leading to Potsdam, Germany, in many Russians with offices in Berlin. The block was set up at 11 a. m. and was to remain in force until 3 p. m. Only vehicles coming from Potsdam were stopped. The first Russian car to approach the block turned back before reaching it.

No explanation of the roadblock was offered by U. S. authorities. The Russians two days ago set up blocks between their sector and the three western sectors, but the blocks were removed the same day.

56-car train arrived bearing military government supplies for U. S. forces and dependents in Berlin. It was the first such train to arrive in several days. British forces have received three trains in the last two days.

Reds Announce Maneuvers

The supply train passed the Russian checkpoint at Marienborn without incident. The Russian official there merely glanced at the train commander's papers and waved him on.

Russian authorities advised U. S. air force officers they plan night maneuvers over the Soviet zone with large numbers of fighter planes, and asked that any planes which might be flying to Berlin from Frankfurt be warned. U. S. code flies so far have been made in daylight.

## Taxpayer Warned

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last January 1, ranging from 100 per cent in the highest income tax bracket to 5 per cent in the lowest brackets. About 7,400,000 low income persons were removed from the tax rolls completely.

On May 1 tax withholdings from all wages and salaries will be reduced. And next year millions of taxpayers will get refunds from the government on the overpayment of taxes between January 1 and May 1.

Probably the happiest person over the tax cut was Knutson, who saw Mr. Truman kill two of his \$4,000,000,000 tax-slashing bills last year.

"This is the crowning feature of my life," he said. "The new law accomplishes tax cutting primarily by:

1. Raising personal exemptions from \$500 to \$600.

2. Applying the community property principle to all states, permitting husbands and wives to split the family income equally for tax reporting purposes.

3. Granting percentage cuts ranging from 12.6 per cent in the low income area to 5 per cent in the higher brackets.

4. Giving special exemptions to persons 65 and over and to the blind.

## Fair Street . . .

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Meyers, will be received into the church by baptism.

### Reception

Sunday afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock Dr. and Mrs. Seelye will receive members of the congregation and friends in the parish room of the church. It is anticipated that a great many of Dr. Seelye's friends, members of the clergy and members of other churches of the city will attend the reception which has been arranged by a 30th anniversary committee from the church.

Members of that committee are: Mrs. Arthur H. Wicks, chairman, assisted by Mrs. Bertha Bayler, Mrs. Ferris Davis, Mrs. Herbert Darrow, Mrs. J. Dean Dykstra, Mrs. Leonard Flicker, Miss Anna Fuller, Mrs. M. R. Herzog, Mrs. Fred Hoffman, Mrs. Sherman Low, Mrs. Pauline Lieske, Mrs. Harry Meyer, Mrs. Stanley J. Mattheus, Mrs. William Newkirk, Mrs. Harold C. Osterhout and Mrs. Harry T. Sweeney.

From the church records it appears that there were approximately 50 people present on that April Sunday morning in 1898 when Dr. Seelye delivered his first sermon as pastor of the church. At that time there were 21 members living who were members of the Fair Street Church when Dr. Seelye was called to the church.

### Heard First Sermon

Of these 21 surviving members the church records indicate the following 16 members were present in church when Dr. Seelye delivered his first sermon 50 years ago:

Mrs. Anna Hart Snyder, Mrs. George Myers, Mrs. Alex Herdman, Miss Anna R. Noyes, Mrs. Bertha Timm Bayler, Bertha Van Keuren, Mrs. Annie Schoonmaker DeLisser, Mrs. Otis Davis, Mrs. Lillian Adels, Joseph Turner, Frank B. Seelye, Sherman Low, William Van Erten, Mrs. Mary F. Brown, Beina Clark Johnson and Charles Johnson. The other five surviving members but who were not present in church 50 years ago are: Agnes French, Jane Gover, Augusta Hulton, Frank Winne, Katherine Chipp.

Miss Anna Fuller was organist at the Fair Street Church when Dr. Seelye was called to the church.

Dr. Seelye is a son of the late Rev. Frank B. Seelye and Martha Weeks Seelye, and was born May 10, 1872 at Richfield Springs, N. Y. At the age of 10 he moved with his parents to Delhi, where he attended school and was graduated from the Central Delaware Academy. He entered Middlebury College and was graduated from that institution in 1899 and that year entered Union Theological Seminary, being graduated from Union in 1896.

He was ordained in the First Presbyterian Church at Onondaga on June 4, 1896. His first pastoral work was at Margaretville, where he served the Gardiner Reformed Church for nine months and then called to the Fair Street Church in this city where he served as active pastor for 45 years and for the past five years has been pastor emeritus.

Dr. Seelye married Miss Virginia Boice at the home of her parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. Hewitt Boice, the ceremony being performed by Dr. Seelye's father.

During the 50 years Dr. Seelye has been minister of the church, 1,321 persons have united with the church.

Since coming to Kingston many honors have come to Dr. Seelye. He has been chosen president of the General Synod of the Reformed Church in America, the highest honor which can be paid a minister in the denomination; he has been president of the Board of Domestic Missions for 15 years and a member of the board for 25 years and has been president of the Classis of Ulster and moderator on several occasions.

Active in Civil Affairs

Dr. Seelye has always taken a deep interest in civic affairs and has held numerous public appointments. For 19 years he served as secretary of the Kingston Hospital. He was named a member of the Board of Managers of the Ulster County Tuberculosis Hospital in 1931 at the time of its formation and served as president of the board of managers for 12 years until the Tuberculosis Hospital was taken over as a part of the Ulster County Board of Health January 1, 1947. Since that time he has served as a member and president of the Ulster County Board of Health. He has served as a member of the Police Board, is a charter member of Kingston Rotary and has held high offices in Masonry, in Kingston and Ulster county. Dr. Seelye numbers among his host of friends, men and women of all denominations and faiths, men and women in all walks of life and throughout his life he has ever extended to all a helping hand in time of need. His generosity and charity has been wide-spread and but few people know of the community service, comfort and aid which he has extended quietly and unassuming during the 50 years of his pastorate in Kingston.

An invitation is extended by the Consistory of the church to all friends to attend the morning service and have a part in the 50th anniversary observance Sunday morning at 10 o'clock and to attend the reception Sunday afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock in the church parlors.

## Leslie Eignor Dies

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Big Indian survives as well as several nieces and nephews.

Among the survivors are a brother, Eugene Eignor of Big Indian, and nieces, Mrs. Edna Eignor and Alfred Eignor of Big Indian; also five nieces, Mrs. George Reynolds and Mary Jane Eigan of Woodstock; Mrs. Leroy Christiana of Kingston; Mrs. Nathan Haynes of Seager, N. Y., and Mrs. George Coonan of New York city. Funeral services will be held at the Lasher Funeral Home, Woodstock, Tuesday, April 6, at 1 p. m. Interment in Pine Hill cemetery.

## PORT EWEN

Port Ewen, April 3—Mr. and Mrs. Renee Brownell who have been spending the winter with their daughter and son-in-law, the Rev. and Mrs. F. W. Stine at the Methodist parsonage, returned to their home in Grand Gorge Wednesday.

The staff of Hungerford's will attend the international beauty show at the Grand Central Palace, New York, April 5, 6 and 7.

Mr. and Mrs. William Prigden, who were called to New Bern, N. C. due to the sudden illness of Mr. Prigden's brother, have returned home.

The Sunday school of the Methodist Church will meet in the church auditorium Sunday at 10 a. m.

The Men's Candlepin Bowling League will bowl Monday with Teams 2 and 7 at 7 p. m., and Teams 1 and 8 at 8:30 p. m.

The Port Ewen Fire, Drum and Bugle Corps will meet Monday at 7 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Russell of Kingston were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Ellsworth at their home on South Broadway Thursday night.

The Priscilla Society of the Methodist Church will hold its regular monthly meeting Tuesday at 8 p. m. at the church house. Hostesses for the social hour will be Mrs. Wallace C. Mabe, Mrs. Alanson H. Short and Mrs. Percy Fairbrother.

There will be a surprise party at the Town of Esopus auditorium tonight.

Mrs. Herbert Fial of West Point and Mrs. George Aldors of Walden were recent callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Beesmer.

Ross Beesmer, who has been the guest of Wayne Berens at his home in Greenwich, has returned home. Mrs. Nancy Decker and daughter, Mrs. Ethel Clark, who have been visiting Mrs. Decker's daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Beesmer, have returned to their home in South Fairbury.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Christian are leaving this week-end for Clermont where Mrs. Christian will convalesce. She has been ill at her home for several weeks. Wessel Cross of Kyserville is the guest of Walter and Nelson Ellisworth.

The Anderson 4-H Girls Homemaking club will meet at the home of Mrs. Floyd Ellsworth Tuesday afternoon after school.

Mrs. William Stephenson is ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. William Schweigel.

Mrs. John Halliday, who has been ill for the past week, is reported to be improving. Mr. and Mrs. William Yessie, Jr., entertained the following guests at their home Thursday night: Mr. and Mrs. John Emmick, Mr. and Mrs. C. Bruck and Miss Katherine Smith of Kingston.

All Girl Scout and Brownie Troop committees are requested to meet in the Girl Scout room Monday at 7:30 p. m.

Miss Rose Hatten of Utica is the guest of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Basil C. Potter at their home on Lampman avenue.

Mrs. Harold Bowser and daughter, Gail of Rochester, who spent two weeks with Mrs. Bowser's mother, Mrs. Mary Dempsey at her home on Broadway, have returned home.

Mrs. May Dempsey and daughter, Marie were recent guests of friends in Brooklyn and Weehawken, N. J.

Mrs. Francis McCann and daughters, Francine and Miriam of Brooklyn, are visiting Mrs. May Dempsey this week.

Methodist Church, the Rev. F. W. Stine, pastor—Sunday school, 10 a. m. worship service, 11:30 a. m. with sermon by the pastor. Tuesday, 8 p. m., Priscilla Society. Thursday, 2 p. m., Ladies Aid meeting at the home of Mrs. Hugh Clark, Salem street; 7:30 p. m., official